

GUERNSEY AIRPORT

AIRPORT FIRE FIGHTER

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JOB DESCRIPTION

MAIN PURPOSE OF ROLE:

Airport fire fighters provide fire cover, rescue services and first aid, in accordance with CAA and ICAO guidance and regulations. The post holder will assist in carrying out a range of other operational, specialist and emergency duties within the airport perimeter.

MAIN DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. To provide fire cover and rescue services in accordance with CAA and ICAO guidance from Civil Aviation Publications.
2. To be part of a compulsory stand by rota.
3. To respond swiftly and safely to an emergency situation.
4. To provide first aid in respect of aircraft accidents and any other related emergencies on humanitarian grounds.
5. To maintain competences and qualifications by participating in continuous learning programs by attending lectures, exercises, simulated incidents, practice drill sessions and other forms of training to achieve and maintain competence levels in line with professional requirements.
6. Be responsible for the maintenance of emergency equipment including, repairing and testing, as required, to approved standards and procedures, and also to undertake checks on emergency resources provided for Airport Fire Service use.
7. To provide the first response in respect of any other emergency within the airport perimeter.
8. Assist in the range of duties in the Airside Operational Management of Guernsey Airport in liaison with the Operations Department under direction of the Airport Fire Service Management.

9. Undertake any training as deemed necessary by the Airport Fire Service Manager, or Airport Management.
10. May be required to cover the role of a 'Floating' firefighter for a period not exceeding 12 months as directed by the Fire Services Manager.
11. To provide assistance to the Guernsey Fire and Rescue Service.

The above gives an outline of duties which the post holder will be expected to undertake, but is not intended to be limiting, as other duties may arise from time to time. It will be subject to review to ensure that it reflects current duties and responsibilities of the post.

KEY CRITERIA:

ESSENTIAL

1. Must hold, on application, a category C driving license.
2. Must be able to provide a five year history - education, training and employment (without gaps). This is required for security checks.
3. Must be able to provide a satisfactory "Basic Police Check."
4. Self-motivated and enthusiastic approach to work, with a positive approach when dealing with others which includes colleagues, management, stakeholders and members of the general public.
5. Flexible approach to working arrangements with the ability to participate in the compulsory on call rota.
6. Good communication skills, both written and oral, and ability to relate to a wide range of people at a variety of professional levels.
7. Ability to work effectively as part of a team.
8. The ability to maintain level of personal fitness, necessary, to carry out all duties airport firefighter.
9. Applicants must pass regular Medicals as defined by the CAA
10. Basic handwriting and computer skills are required.

KEY COMPETENCIES

LEADERSHIP

- Focus on the overall goal and intend what they are trying to achieve, not just the task.
- Take an active interest in expanding their knowledge of areas relating to their own.

- Consider and suggest ideas for improvements, sharing this feedback with others in a constructive manner.
- Put aside preconceptions and consider new ideas on their merits.

TEAMWORK

- Listen to, understand, respect and accept the value of different views, ideas and ways of working.
- Express ideas effectively, both orally and in writing, and with sensitivity and respect for others.
- Change ways of working to facilitate collaboration the benefit of teams work.
- Readily identify opportunities to share knowledge, information and learning and make progress by working with colleagues.
- Take responsibility for creating a working environment that encourages quality, diversity and inclusion.

ACCOUNTABILITY

- Take responsibility for the quality of own work and seeking opportunities for improvement through continuous learning